



## DEPUTY GRAND COUNCIL CHIEF

### ACTIVITY REPORT

March 2014 – May 2014

Aanii Gimaa

Another year has gone by and the Political Activity across the land is very strong right now. The Federal Governments First Nation Education Act is a major issue; we have to protect our Rights to Education.

While attending the Anishinabek Language Gathering in Sault St. Marie MI., the message from the People comes across loud and strong. We cannot let anyone else take control of our Education but ourselves. In visiting our communities everyone is asking and talking about Anishinabek Education Symposium vs. Ottawa's Education Act.

Housing is very important for First Nation's and there is so much to do with so little resources. An issue that I have flagged regards Modular Housing being promoted to our citizens that are U.S. made. I strongly encourage that we buy Canadian made products as U.S. does not meet the Canadian building codes. Our next First Nation Housing Committee meeting will be held in Wikwemikong Territory, on Manitoulin Island in September.

Community Engagement Sessions are still taking place as we are being invited to your communities. More and more citizens are coming out to ask questions regarding the Matrimonial Real Property, Education, Child Welfare and so much more.

On behalf of the Anishinabek I wish all a happy safe summer, hope to meet you on the Pow Wow Trail

Ba maa pii miiniwa

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## DGC ACTIVITY EVENTS SCHEDULE

Mar 3	M'Chigeeng – Drug Strategy Mtg
Mar 6-7	Toronto – Child Welfare Symposium
Mar 9-15	Vacation
Mar 17	Nipissing – UOI Head Office
Mar 18	Wikwemikong – Child Care Agreement Signing
Mar 19-20	Fort William/Thunder Bay Chiefs Committee on Governance – Jury Review
Mar 21	Nipissing – UOI Head Office
Mar 26-28	SSM Michigan - Anishinaabemowin Teg Language Conference
Mar 31	Toronto – Policing Mtg
Apr 1	Nipissing – UOI Head Office
Apr 2	Sudbury - Chiefs Mtg – On-Reserve Schools
Apr 7	Community Visits – Atikameksheng Anishnawbek, Henvey Inlet, Magnetawan, Wasauksing, Moose Deer Point
Apr 8	Community Visits – Scugog, Curve Lake, Alderville
Apr 9	Community Visits – Gold Lake
Apr 10	Community Visits – Sagamok, Serpent River, Mississauga #8, Thessalon
Apr 11	Community Visits – Garden River
Apr 14	Community Visits – Wahnapiatae
Apr 15	Sudbury – Aboriginal Apprenticeship Conference
Apr 16-17	Sudbury – Lake Huron Chief's Mtg
Apr 22	Nipissing – UOI head Office – Joint mtg UOI/Canada
Apr 23-24	Nipissing – Education Symposium
Apr 28-29 (½ day)	Sault Ste Marie – First Nations Housing Steering Committee
Apr 30	Toronto – Ontario First Nation CMHC - Allocation Working Group
May 1	Nipissing – UOI Head Office
May 4	Travel to Superior Region
May 5	Community Visits – Michipicoton, Heron Bay, Pays Plat
May 6	Community Visits – Lake Helen, Rocky Boay
May 7 – 8	Thunder Bay – COO Emergency Education Symposium
May 12	Nipissing – UOI Head Office
May 13-15	Ottawa – AFN Gathering
May 20	M'Chigeeng – Attend Community Mtg
May 22	Community Visits – Kettle Point, Aamjiwnaang
May 23	Chippewa of the Thames – CES Clan Teachings, Munsee Delaware Chief and Council Orientation

